

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

JULIO SMITH PARRA,

Plaintiff,

VS.

HOWARD SKOLNIK, et al.,

Defendants.

3:11-cv-00913-ECR (WGC)

MINUTES OF THE COURT

August 8, 2012.

PRESENT: THE HONORABLE WILLIAM G. COBB, U.S. MAGISTRATE JUDGE

DEPUTY CLERK: KATIE OGDEN REPORTER: NONE APPEARING

COUNSEL FOR PLAINTIFF(S): NONE APPEARING

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT(S): NONE APPEARING

MINUTE ORDER IN CHAMBERS:

On June 7, 2012, Plaintiff filed a Motion for Early Production of “Giglio” Material. (Doc. # 13.) Defendants opposed. (Doc. # 16.)

In *Giglio v. United States*, 405 U.S. 150 (1972), the Supreme Court held that when the reliability of a witness may be determinative of guilt or innocence in a *criminal case*, nondisclosure of the evidence regarding credibility falls within the ambits of *Brady v. Maryland*, 373 U.S. 83 (1963), which requires that the prosecution disclose exculpatory material to the defense.

Neither *Giglio* nor *Brady* are applicable to Plaintiff's civil rights action brought under 42 U.S.C. § 1983. Accordingly, Plaintiff's motion (Doc. # 13) is **DENIED**.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

LANCE S. WILSON, CLERK

By: /s/
Deputy Clerk